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TOPIC Airfields of RECHLIN and LAERZ

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1. It was learned from railroad shipping documents that Unit [REDACTED] from PERLEBERG (N 54/T 70) and the Unit [REDACTED] from WITTSTOCK (N 54/U 11) arrived in RECHLIN (N 54/U 33) in late August 1949. The construction unit previously quartered in RECHLIN had left for TROLLENHAGEN (N 54/U 67).
2. The RECHLIN airfield was not reconditioned and not in operation. A radio station with radio trucks was established at the RECHLIN airfield.
3. The LAERZ (N 54/U 33) airfield was occupied by about 150 planes, including 15 biplanes. Radio truck E 5-30-37 and trucks B 7-85-90, B 7-85-87 and B 7-86-25 were observed.

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Comment:* in PERLE-
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- a. The reported APNs confirm that the fighter units from PERLEBERG and WITTSTOCK were transferred to RECHLIN-LAERZ. [REDACTED] was last observed in March 1949 and [REDACTED] 25X1B0a was last observed in WITTSTOCK in September 1947. Both units are probably airfield battalions (ATB).
- b. According to the number of aircraft observed in LAERZ it is assumed that the entire 286th Ftr Div was transferred to LAERZ.
- c. The information that the RECHLIN airfield is not occupied by an air unit was confirmed on 26 and 28 September 1949 *.

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